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To: Microsoft ATR
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Dear Dept. of Justice,

I am an engineer, not a lawyer, but it seems to me that it is a great day, as a Microsoft product consumer, to finally see the GOVERNMENT settling this case. It is finally time to let the market players compete, and some will win and some will lose. I just did a count of my software, and I use Word Perfect instead of MS Word. However, I like the Microsoft browser better than my two others I have bought and used. I still use Lotus for my spread sheets although I have Excel and others.

I do not agree with the idea that Microsoft eliminates other options. What you have here is a bunch of lawyers out to make big money like the OJ Simpson bunch. Time to stop.

Agree and get on with life.

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